

REMARKS

No new matter was added by these amendments. Accordingly, claims 1-10, and 24-36 are now pending in this application.

Support for new claim 24 comes from claims 1 and 21, supporting text therefor, and throughout the specification. Support for new claim 25 comes from claims 1 and 22, supporting text therefor, and throughout the specification. Support for new claim 26 comes from claims 1 and 23, supporting text therefor, and throughout the specification. Support for new claim 27 comes from page 4, beginning at line 8 and throughout the specification. Support for new claim 28 comes from page 5, beginning at line 5 and throughout the specification. Support for new claim 29 comes from claims 1 and 9 and from page 7, beginning at line 10 and throughout the specification. Support for new claim 30 comes from new claim 29 and 14, beginning at line 18 through page 15, ending at line 7, and throughout the specification. Support for new claim 31 comes from claims 1 and 23 and throughout the specification. Support for new claim 32 comes from claims 1 and 23, from page 17, beginning at line 17, and throughout the specification. Support for new claim 33 comes from claims 1, 5, and 9, and throughout the specification. Support for new claim 34 comes from claims 1, 2, 5, and 9, and throughout the specification. Support for new claim 35 comes from new claim 33, new claim 29, page 14, beginning at line 7, and throughout the specification. Support for new claim 36 comes from new claim 33, page 15, beginning at line 13, and throughout the specification.

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TESTING METHOD

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' Representative John Greaves at 801/278-9171 or the below signed attorney if there are any questions regarding this Response or if prosecution of this application may be assisted thereby.

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